GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2535
ANSWERED ON:05.12.2000
IMPORT OF DRUGS UNDER NEGATIVE LIST
ASHOK NAMDEORAO MOHOL

Will the Minister of CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS be pleased to state:

(a): whether some drugs which are listed under the negative list are being imported;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether the Government have taken any steps to produce said drugs indigenously;

(d) if so, the details thereof; and

(e) if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CHEMICALS & FERTILIZERS (SHRI SATYA BRATA MOOKHERJEE)

(a) & (b) : Yes, Sir. At present the drugs under the negative (restricted) list, are allowed for import to the actual users on a case to case basis under an import licence.

(c) to (e) : All the drugs presently in the negative (restricted) list of imports of the Exim Policy 1997-2002, do not require any industrial licencefor their manufacture.